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For: ONE-PIECE CLOSED-SHAPE)
STRUCTURE AND METHOD OF)
FORMING SAME)

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.